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Serial No.: 09/774,351
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Attorney Docket No.: BROUILL-016XX

Sir:

In re application of: David Dodge
Entitled: An Improved Ski Binding

Transmitted herewith is an amendment (13 pgs.) in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

[X] A Petition for Extension of Time for one (1) month is hereby made, under §1.136(a); the amount of \$120, included in the total amount of \$920 is enclosed per §1.17.

CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT:	MINUS PRIOR PAID CLAIMS:	EQUALS PRESENT EXTRA CLAIMS:	RATE:	ADDITIONAL FEE:
Independent 10	- 6	= 4	x \$200.00 =	\$800
Total 14	- 31	= 0	x \$50.00 =	
[] Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation) + \$360.00 =				
SUBTOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE				
Small Entity filing, divide by 1/2.				
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE				\$800

- [] No additional claim fee.
- [X] The claim fee has been calculated above; check number 15404 in the amount of \$920 is enclosed.
- [X] In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 02-3285 for the cost of such extension.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under §1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-3285.

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SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop AF Commissioner of Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA, 22313-1450

Sir:

The present amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated November 3, 2005. The Applicant has duly taken into account the comments and objections of the Examiner. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on pages 17 of this paper.

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